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VIRGINIA GLEANINGS IN ENGLAND

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(CONTINUED)

THOMAS BOLITHOE of Lancelton, co. Cornwall.

Will dat. 9 June 1654. To my brother William & my sister Mary B. & to my sister in law Mary Nicholls 10/ ring each. Whereas I have at present one daur. Mary & my wife now goeth with one other child, & whereas my lands in Tettridge is conveyed to my wife for jointure, after her death, if such child be a son the same lands will descend to him, but if a daur. sd. lands will go to both my daurs. I have made provision for sd. daur. Mary by surrendering some parcels of Townland to her use. House wherein I now dwell to wife for life if my estate last so long. Rest of goods to my wife Mary B & she to be extrix. *Witns.* Jo. Treise, Phillipp Peare, John Hickes

Proved 27 Oct. 1654 by Mary B. relict & extrix.

Alchin, 448

WILLIAM BOLETHOW gent., of parish of Gwendron (*Wendron*) Cornwall.

Will dat. 18 Nov. 1654. To my wife Elizabeth £120 the 2 chambers over the kitchen etc during my estate therein if she live so long. To my daur. Mary Flamanke £60. To my granddaur. Elizabeth Bolithow £30 at her marriage. To my granddaur. Sarah Kempthorne £5 at 7. To my sister Jane Flamanke the wife of Roger F. £6.6.8. To Mr. Robert Jagoe my pastor 20/. To poor of Gwendron 20/., of Helston 20/.

To my servants William Anthony 10/., John Thomas 10/., Tho. Joseph 5/. Ann Polcribbow 5/. & Blanch Thomas 5/. To Anne Boddy of town of Truro 10/. Rest of goods to my son Alexander B. & he to be exor. *Witns.* Roger Flamanke, Mr. Charll Manly.

Proved 9 June 1655 by Alexander B. son & exor.

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[John Bolitoe came from Cornwall to Virginia and settled in Princess Anne County. He was a vestryman of Lynhaven Parish, 1725, 1728, &c. He married Yates ———, who subsequently married John Nicholas. There is on record in Princess Anne, a mutilated deed from Thomas Bolithoe, of Cornwall, heir-at-law of John Bolithoe, late of Virginia, dated 173—, conveying certain property to John Nicholas and Yates his wife, in consideration of her dower.]

JOHN FOXALL, late of Hardwicke in p'ish. of Lattingham, co. Stafford, bachelor.

Noncupative. Will made 2 May 1655 oratio recta. For my funeral £10 owing to me from Edward Jordan of Alveley, co. Salop., overplus to poor of p'ish of Worfeild in sd. co. To my sister Margaret Devie all my goods in her possession. To my brother William F. £10 in hands of Richard Wilkes & £3 in hands of Thomas Hatton, bed etc in his custody, & all rest of my estate. Witnesses: Humfry Steward (x), Ursula Foxall (x). Adm. c. t. a. 15 May 1655 to William F. brother & principal legatary, no ex'or. being app'ted.

Aylett, 149

WILLIAM FOXALL, of borough of Stafford.

Will dat. 6 Oct. 1653. To poor of S. £4. To my wife Elizabeth for life, cottage or dwelling house in Birmingham, co. Warw., in tenure of William Fisher & messuage & cottage in Durliston & land there in tenture of one Keeling, my other house in borough of Stafford, which joins my house where I now dwell, lately in tenture of Mr. John Wilson my brother in law & barn standing in lower end thereof towards the Town

Wall, my 3 barns nigh to Broodeigh in Stafford, moiety of house adjoining St. Chad's Churchyard which is jointly between me & Mr. Walter Adeny. To my son John F. my land in p'ish. of Bushbury, Staffordshire, which was given to me by my father John F., house in Stafford wherein I now dwell, with tanhouse, all in fee & remainder of (much of) devises to sd. wife, also in fee, £100. To my son William F. house & tanhouse in Stafford in fee (which I bought of George Lees now deceased) messe in Darliston afs'd from decease of my s'd. wife, also in fee & £100 also Fisher's cottage. S'd. wife to maintain s'd. 2 sons till 21 if she remain widow. To my dau'rs. Elizabeth, Anne, Bridget, Sara & May F. £200 a piece. If any die under 21 unmar. survivors' clause to my own brothers & sisters children 10s. a piece & household servants 10s. a piece. S'd. wife E. to be ex'trix. My brother Ambrose F. & brother in law John Britton to be overseers & to them 20s. a piece. To my mother 20s. for a ring. Witnesses: Ambrose Foxall, Anthony Dewyste, Ambrose Foxall the younger. Proved 21 Nov. 1655 by Elizabeth F., relict & ex'trix.

Aylett, 432

["Mr. John Foxhall" was living in Westmoreland County, Va., in 1670. There is recorded in that county, a deed, dated 1673, from the wife and attorney of John Foxhall, of Popes Creek, Westmoreland, to her daughter Martha Foxhall. Wife and daughter apparently died before the date of John Foxhall's will. The will of John Foxhall was dated Feb. 10, 1697-8, proved in Westmoreland March 27, 1698, and in P. C. C. (*Ash*. 162) Aug. 31, 1704. He left to Robert Volkes (Vaulx) and Sarah Elliott, all his estate real and personal in the Kingdom of England in Bromingham (Birmingham) in Warwickshire. His water mill to James Volkes and John Elliott, Jr.; his plantation at the head of Popes Creek to Susan Cornock; to Elizabeth Volkes his plantation in Essex; to James Volkes, horse, &c.; to Mary and Martha Elliott, horses.—"Loving Brother Caleb Butler", executor.

The will of Caleb Butler dated Feb. 16, 1708-9 would make it appear that Butler married a sister of Foxhall. It is possible that Mrs. Butler was previously Mrs. Vaulx. The name Foxhall frequently appears as a Christian name in the Parker family, formerly of Westmoreland.]

SIR FRANCES BICKLEY, of Langford, co. Norfolk, Baronet.

Will dat. 23 Sep. 1740. To be buried in church of L. All estate real & personal to my friend Henry Cocksedge of Thet-

ford, Norfolk, gent. in fee in consideration of the favours friendships & services by him done & performed for me. He to be ex'or. Witnesses: Thos. Caton, Abra. Clerke, Jn^o Roope. Prob. 8 July 1746 by Henry Cocksedge the ex'or.

Edmunds, 199

[Sir Francis Bickley, 4th Bart., of Attleborough Hall, died, without issue, July 4, 1746. He had several brothers, one of whom, Joseph Bickley, emigrated to Virginia, and eventually, inherited the title. See *Wm. & Mary Quarterly*, vol. V.]

WILLIAM HAMMOND, of Ratcliff in the p'ish of Stebenheath als. Stepney, co. Middx., gent.

Will dated 9 July 1732. My freehold farm in posession of ——— Pritchard at Thundersley, co. Essex, & my 2 copyhold farms now in posson. of [blank] King & [blank] in p'ish of Eastwood, co. Essex. To my uncle William Clopton of Virginia for life, remainder to his children equally in fee. My 2 freeholds messuages in possession of John Thompson, watchmaker, & Joseph Scrafton, peruke maker, in Clements Lane near Lombard Street, London. To my friends Samuel Skinner of Ratcliff, aforesaid esq. & Josiah Cole of same, apothecary, in fee upon trust for sale. They to pay £500 to my servant Christian Waters now living with me. £500 to Mary Hamond als. Mary Hamond Waters at 21 or marre. if she die before, s'd £500 to her mother the s'd. Christian Waters. Household goods at my now dwelling house on Stepney Causeway to s'd. C. Waters, & to her s'd dwelling house for rest of term, all my plate & jewels. Rest of estate to my s'd. uncle William Clopton & his children. S'd. S. Skinner & J. Cole to be ex'ors. & guardians to sd. M. Hamond als. M. H. Waters. Witnesses: Tho. Taylor, Hannah Norman, Wrudd (or Mudd) Fuller ser.

Prob. 17 July 1732 to Samuel Skinner & Josias Cole ex'ors.

Bedford, 188

[William Clopton (born 1655, died before 1733) emigrated to Virginia and settled in York County, removing later to New Kent. He married

Anne, daughter of Robert Booth of York County and had three sons, Robert, William and Walter, and two daughters, Anne, married Nicholas Mills and Elizabeth, married (1st), in 1713, William Walker, and (2nd), Alexander Moss.

The son William married Jan. 27, 1718-19, Joyce Wilkerson. Among other children they had a son, Waldegrave, whose name probably gives a clue to the English ancestry of the Cloptons.

It is probable that William Hammond was a nephew of the emigrant and did not know of his death.]

FRANCISCUS LUDLOW.

Octavo die [July 1671] *emenavit Commissio Willelmo Rickard Avunculo et Curatori legitime Assignato Francisco Ludlow et Willelmo Ludlow Minoribus filiis naturalibus et legitimis Francisci Ludlow nuper de Horneingham in Comitatu Wilts sed in Virginia in partibus Transmarinis defuncti Habentis etc. Administrandum bona Jura et Credita dicti defuncti in usum et durante Minori ætate dictorum minoris (sic) etc.*

P. A. B. 1671 fa. 80

[Francis Ludlow, a brother of Sarah Ludlow, wife of Col. John Carter, of Corotoman, had evidently lived in Lancaster County, Va. See this Magazine XXIX, 350-354, and especially p. 352, where, an extract from the Lancaster County records shows that Francis Ludlow's will was proved there May 11, 1670. It is curious that in the Prerogative Court of Canterbury only an administration was granted and no notice taken of the will.]

WILLIAM TABB, of Thurlstone, Devon, yeoman.

Will dat. 10 Jan. 1648. To poor of T. 3s. 4d. To my dau'r. Joan Square 20s. To my son in law Ellis Square, suit. To my dau'r. Amy Scobble 20s. To my dau'r. Mary Nealde 20s. etc. To my wife Alice all my wool. To William T. & Alice T. children of my son John T., Andrew Square & Thomas Square sons of Ellis S. my son in law & to Agnes Scobble dau'r. of my dau'r. Agnes (sic) S., my grandchildren a ewe & lamb each. To each of my godchildren 12d. Whereas I have an estate in tenement & farthing of land in Buckland in p'ish of T. afs'd for years determinable on death of me & my

Alice & my son John T. I give same to my wife Alice for life 40 years if she so long live, but my son John T. to hold same during life of my sd. wife at £10 rent. Sd. wife to have househarbour with my son John for her life. To John Marten pair of breeches. To John Bridgman, pair of breeches. Rest of goods to my son John T. & he to be ex'or. Witnesses: Tho. Cornish, Thomas Square X.

Adm. c. b. a. 12 [*blank*] 1654 to Rebecca Tabb, relict & ex'trix of John T., whilst he lived, son & ex'or of W. T. late of T. Because that J. T. the son & ex'or. also died before he had taken upon him execution of same Will.

Alchin, 36

JOHN TABB, of Thurlestone, co. Devon, yeoman.

Will dat. 25 Dec. 1653. To poor of p'ish of T. 3s. 4d. To my son William T. & my two dau'rs. Alice T. & Prudence T. £30 each at 21. Whereas I have an estate in one tenement & one farthing of lands in Buckland in p'ish of Thurlstone afsd. determinable on deaths of me & my mother Alice T. out of which I am to pay to sd. mother £10 a year for life, by will of my father William T. dec., I give same to my wife Rebecca, she paying the sd. £10 yearly. Sd. Mother to have house harbour with my wife for life. Estate in two houses & close of land (4 acres) at Coton in p'ish of Sherford for years determinable upon Anne? Amy Nicholls for payment of £25 to Agnes Scobble da'ur. of sd. A. Nicholls, to my brother in law Ellis Square on trust for sd. A. Scobble. Rest of goods to sd. wife R. & she to be ex'trix. My uncle John Randoll to be overseer. *Testator made his mark.* Witnesses: Tho. Cornish, John Randoll, John Lakeman X, Thomas Squeare X. Prob. 22 June 1654 by Rebecca T., relict & ex'trix.

Alchin, 36

[Humphrey Tabb, the ancestor of the Virginia family, came to Virginia in or before 1637 and settled in Elizabeth City County. Vol. I, *Dwelly's Parish Records*, shows that in the register of Firehead, Somersetshire, is an entry of the christening, Sept. 17, 1609, of Humphrey, son of John Tabb.]

FRANCIS SYDNOR, of Grays Inn, Middx., esq.

Will dat. — — 1653. Having long languished in body by reason of old age & infirmities. To poor of p'ish of St. Andrew Holborn 40s. To my kinsman Fortunatus Sydnor of Greenwich, Kent, aged about 15 years, £40 at 21, if he die before, same to my neice Judith Goldsmith of Purpoole Lane. St. Andr. Holborn afsd. & to Charles & Mathias Goldsmith, sons of my nephew Charles G. physician, equally whereas I lent to my nephew Henry Sydnor of Norwich, grocer, £20 by Bond, I release him of same & to him £10 more. To sd. Charles Gouldsmith & Mathias G. sons of my sd. nephew C. G. £60 between them, at 21. To sd. nephew C. G. the physician, my watch, same to be delivered to my sd. neice Judith G. to be kept for my sd. nephew until his return into England. Whereas Humphrey Wigan of Grays Inn Lane, St. Andr. Holborn, Middx. Chandler is bound to sd. neice Judith G. in £100 bond to pay £51. 10 s. to her at a day yet to come, which £50 (sic) was my property & £1. 10. in consideration of forbearance, sd. bond being in my custody, same to be delivered to sd. neice. Rest of personal estate to my sd. neice Judith Goldsmith. Sd. H. Wigan to be ex'or. & to him £10. Prob. 19 June 1656 by Humphrey Wigan the ex'or.

Berkley, 215

[A Fortunatus Sydnor lived in Lancaster County, Va., 1670, &c. There is in existence an old Bible containing many entries of the children of this Fortunatus Sydnor and their descendants. Dr. Lyon G. Tyler proposes to publish this record, with additional information, in his *Quarterly*. The Sydnors were long associated with Kent. Paul Sydnour, of Brenchley, gent., contributed to a loan to the King in 1542. This Paul Sydnor in 31st year of Henry VIII was granted the advowson and vicarage of Brenchley. His son William Sydnor succeeded him about 1563 and shortly afterwards alienated them to William Waller. On April 13, 1573, "Mr. William Sydnor, of Blundeston in Suffolk, Esq.", sold the manor of Cryels in Brenchley to William Lambarde.]